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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Horst Fischer and Beate Illek
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In response to the Office Action dated April 25, 2005, please amend the application as follows:

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